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News From Your TOWN HALL

"Sure, we're going to have radios in the police cars," said Mayor Taylor, "just as soon as we can arrange the details of it."

There is an indication that the present City Fathers are on their toes and alive to the needs of the city. At night when the car is making its regular beat and a need for police is reported, they can be immediately and easily contacted and sent where they're most needed. Use of the radio is endless when you think of it.

South Bay may very well want to join in the hookup, and with ability to call Palokoe, all deputies of Sheriff Kirk as well as the State Road Patrolmen, it will result in immediate action, which is the way to get best results.

Some do, and some don't, want liquor in the midst of their stores. But, those who opposed liquor zoning Wednesday night might remember that liquor won't be much saved, if liquor is on both sides of them, as expressions indicate.

The city has given itself permission to grant taxi licenses without asking permission of the Board of Commissioners. It is now licensed in changing this law.

Don't start kicking when the city imposes a car inspection ordinance to prevent cars with no brakes, some lights and other easily readied to be driven, for this would greatly lessen the wrecks on the streets, and provide some finances to care for the city owned garage and repair shops which will be built.

Crime involving juvenile delinquency is here. An evidence of it and the good work the police are doing is the case of the two boys who have been denouncing cars the past few days. They were caught by two city policemen shortly after they were alerted from Palokoe. Several hundred dollars worth of all imaginable things, including Santa Claus, were recovered. Two pistols were among the loot. Hard work on the part of the police.

High School Band to Give Christmas Concert

The Belle Glade High School band will give a Christmas program on Sunday, December 23, at 8 o'clock, in the High School auditorium, inaugurating a plan for an annual service in commemoration of the birth of the Christ.

The program will consist of traditional Christmas carols presented by the boys and wind quartet and various quartets and soloists.

This will be the band's first public appearance in full dress uniform. There will be no admission fee but a silver offering will be taken to help defray expenses of transportation to St. Petersburg in April, when the band expects to participate in the state band contest.

Tom Lieb Will Leave U. of F. As Head Coach

The expected floundering in the University of Florida athletics came to an open rupture, Sunday when it was announced that the Board of Control would not renew the contract of Tom Lieb, as head football coach, a position which he has held for the past six years with more or less success.

Governor Milton Caldwell, who set out the policy, said he had let the University football record, and demanded that the University produce a winning aggregation, or withdraw its team from such activities. The Governor's blast seems to have had its effect as he gained widespread support on his ideas, among the members of the Legislature, the Alumni and fans all over the state.

All this uprisings has not been against the coach's administration, but also against the State, because a sufficient appropriation was not made for the

Nationally Known Speed Drivers To Cut Capers Here

Three nationally known speed demons will crash board fences, plate glass, and perform many other dare devil stunts at the Airport on Sunday afternoon, January 30th, under the auspices of the local Legion Post.

Wild Speed! Allison, whose name resulted from his speed stunts, and the Mystery Driver who gained his reputation as a midnight car driver around the country.

Best Holes For Year Announced At Club

O. G. McWhorter ended up with a 25-26 for a low of 21, as did J. Windfall Mosley, Jr., who took 22. The third place for second place for 53's George Bender and Charles McWhorter. On the beach shot was won by 17 days later in a hospital in Africa. After 18 months in a plaster cast, he is now hale and hearty—anyhow, enough to bring on the thrills.

Lions Hear About Farming In The Homestead Area

With Gene Borchard as program sponsor, it might have been expected he would spring someone as a speaker who knew something about the interests of the city fathers. But, in the contact with Dr. Townsend of the Everglades Experimental Station, he was unable to find a speaker. Phil Westgate, of the Sub-Tropical Experimental station, at Homestead, as the speaker of the hour. While not scheduled as such, yet the program could easily have been termed a farmer program for it was about experimentation on farm lands and products that the speaker dwelt on most interestingly.

Changes Made In Theater Group

When the war came on, the organization of the Gold-Dubrow brothers was badly disrupted, for four of the boys of the organization were in the services. Now these four boys are all getting back ready to resume their former duties, and this fact has led to some reorganization.

Jerry Gold, Louis Gold, John Bass and Leonard Dubrow are the men in question. The former two will be connected with office duties at the Palokoe headquarters. Bass returns to the Everglades theater as operator, while Leonard Dubrow will be the manager of the Aca Theater in Belle Glade.

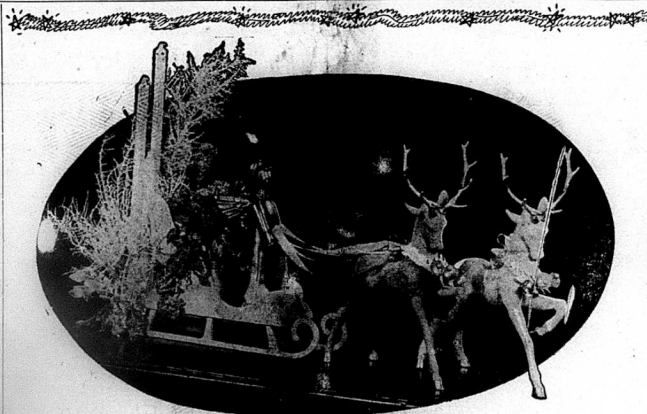
Mal Miller, who has been general manager of all four theaters during the war, will discontinue his official place in the organization. Mrs. Alberta Potter becomes the manager of the Everglades theater in Belle Glade, having assumed her duties last week.

Father Dies

W. T. Simmons and Mrs. B. Cowart, of Belle Glade, were notified Tuesday of the death of their father, George W. Simmons, at Okeechobee.

Strickland in Hospital

J. W. Strickland, operator of the Sunday school at the South Bay is a patient at the Good Samaritan Hospital in West Palm Beach, where he is likely to need to undergo an operation.



In Keeping With The True Spirit of Christmas

Wishing you a Christmas bright with holly leaves and candlelight With friendliness and cheer, and joy that last throughout the year.

Christmas Party To Be Held At Park Dec. 24th

The Belle Glade Recreational Council will head the staging of a community wide Christmas celebration at the City Park, starting at 7:30 o'clock, assisted by all the other city organizations may be rich, poor and disinterested citizens all will be welcome.

Big Christmas Celebration At Camp Okeechobee

Camp Director Henry Earwood of Camp Okeechobee, states that his 2,000 or more negro wards are planning for an immense Christmas celebration and program.

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Hoss Races at Ft. Myers

Race horse fans are booked for a good amount of pleasure at the Ft. Myers track, December 31 and January 1, when another race meeting will be held. The feature of the first night will be a special \$2,000 match race. Calico and Midnight, two Bean City horses, will be pitted against each other.

City Finances For Funds For Water Department

At a special session of the City Commission, at which J. R. Durranne, a bond broker of Miami appeared, the city entered into a deal to procure \$24,000 to be used in the building and payment of the additional water main line from the new treating plant to the two towers.

County Agent Mounts Cattle Election For Triple A Committee

Palm Beach County farmers will be asked to attend elections for Community and County Committeemen to administer AAA work for the coming year.

Freeman Attends State Conference In Tallahassee

At the last session of the Legislature, a law was enacted to go into effect the first of 1946, in relation to food inspection and weights and measures in the Department of Agriculture.

Secretary Nathan Mayo has called a conference of all of the inspectors working in these departments for a school of instruction on these duties, which Ralph Freeman is one of these inspectors, and is spending the week at Tallahassee at this important conference.

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Summerfield Navel Orange Comes In Favor In Florida

Nathan Mayo, who leads the State Department of Agriculture, as the boss farmer of Florida, is probably one of the best known public officials in Florida, and knows farming problems better than most any one else.

The Glades Contains Three Large Citrus Bearing Groves

Citrus culture in the Everglades has never taken on the expanded scope that is prevalent in the central, east and west fruit belts, not because the soil not produce well here, but because people have been more interested in other branches of agricultural work.

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Ladies Enjoy Games On Golf Course

Some twenty-four ladies attended the weekly Friday luncheon at the Country Club of the Everglades last week with nine participating in a handicap tournament.

Louise McWhorter came out ahead in the low gross winner by outdriving Zella Betner, who tied her with a 50. Kat Weeks came out ahead on the low net with a score of 50. Ben Fleming was the lucky one on the Blind Bogey contest.

Glades Area Has No Crop Losses From Cold Wave

Local bean growers were not at all displeased at the OPA news coming out of Washington early in the week, which set net ceiling prices on string beans for the balance of December and up to January 20th. During that period prices will be at the \$4.00 mark, and there is going to be many beans to come to the ceiling.

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The Rambler Again Gives The Glades Region A Boost

The Chamber of Commerce will not hold any more meetings until after the holidays. Secretary, Mrs. Potter states that she continues to get many letters inquiring about the Glades, and asking for copies of the new publicity book, now in the hands of the printers.

On Saturday morning the Rambler broadcast from station WIOD in Miami, dedicated his fifteen minutes to the Glades region, which brought our section again under wide publicity. The Rambler has fairly and squarely won the contest.

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and Comment By John M. Gledhill

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At one time in his life he was engaged in the hunting of rare and precious snail shells, of the iridescent type. These he has gathered from caves, bark of trees and old logs. On one of his trips, his companion, with a glass held to a hole in a tree, and began whooping it up like a wild man, for he had found a snail shell, which he later sold for \$500.00. Some of the more rare snail shells bring as much as \$500.00 in the market.

At the present time, Harold's hobby is the capture of snakes, of which he has quite a collection. (Continued on page 6)

RDB Water Control Unit Names Glades Work Committees

McClure, Haney, Creech Named to Spakplug Unification of Action

Naming O. B. McClure of Palokoe, Howard Haney of Belle Glade and R. Y. Creech of Ritta Island as Chairman of the RDB Water Control Committee expressed the hope that the committees would get organized and begin active work immediately following the holidays.

To consolidate opinion and secure a substantial majority of individuals as well as acreage favorable to "do something," is the object.

The passage of the Aberrant-bill which proposes to lend drainage units federal funds for 30 years without interest was given.

A resolution asking the State and Federal governments to establish, after the holidays, of the Weather Bureau in the Glades to collect, collate, study and disseminate information on climatic conditions in the Everglades area, was passed after a discussion of possible effects on water tables.

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Odd Fellows To Hold 'Get Acquainted' Meet January 10th

Members of the newly formed Glades Lodge of Odd Fellows are taking much interest in the work, and the last meeting was well attended. The lodge has a very nice sized class of candidates for initiation after the holidays, and other petitions for presentation. The lodge has arranged to hold a get-acquainted evening on the night of January 10th, at which time the members and newly initiated candidates will be entertained with a special program. Cliff Councilman and Dewart Uphoff of West Palm Beach lodge were special guests.



When we say Happy New Year to you as 1946 is ushered in we say it not for just a day, but for 365 days. During most of these 365 days we will be completely at your service. We look forward hopefully to a renewal of our very pleasant relations.

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Notary Public

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Calls Farmer Meetings

County Agent M. U. Mounts has called three meetings for farmers who are to participate in the government farm conservation program for the year 1946. The general meeting for the analyzing of the program as set up by the Federal Department of Agriculture, will be held at the court house in West Palm Beach, Dec. 27, at two o'clock. On the following day, at Palatka, a meeting will be held at the city hall at 10:30 o'clock, for signing up participants, and on the same day at 7:30 o'clock, at the Belle Glade city hall, for the farmers of the western portion of the county.

Bishop Moore Goes On China Mission

The Board of Control of the Bishop of the Methodist Church has announced that it is sending Bishop Arthur Moore of the Atlanta supervisory district, which includes Florida, on an extended mission to the Orient, for the purpose of re-organization of Methodist education and church work, his special field to be in China. While gone, his work will be in charge of other Bishops who may be assigned from time to time to care for special duties of his office.

Installing New Phones

The Southern Bell Telephone company has had a force of workmen in Belle Glade for the past two weeks, making extension line repairs and extensions.

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Social Happenings

Mrs. Maude Procter and niece, Nancy Price, of Miami, were week end guests of Mrs. Nell Scullen.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul O'Pizzi, of Chicago, Ill., are arriving to spend the holidays with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul O'Pizzi, Jr.

T. V. Wade of Okechobee is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Alberta Potter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bailey had as their guests this week, Mrs. F. E. Sharpe and son Edwin of St. Cloud. He is in the merchant marine and home on a brief leave.

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Lee's Dress Shop

Avenue A Belle Glade, Fla.

Miss Mildred Melton of Miami has arrived here to temporarily fill the office of clerk at the Selective Service Board. Mrs. Thomas Weathers is resigning the 31st following nearly three years of service with the board.

George Walker and daughter Daisy, of Wausau, Wis., have arrived here to spend the holidays with Mrs. Walker at the Fears hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd O. Brown Sr. and children, of Atlanta, Ga., are visiting here and Mrs. C. E. Maynard. Brown recently received his discharge from the army air force in Miami.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Starnling of Valdosta, Ga., were visitors here last week. Walter Greer will spend the Christmas holidays with them at their home in Valdosta.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Ogden of Madisonville, Ky., are spending the holidays here with their daughter, Mrs. H. O. Earwood and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beck of West Palm Beach are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert D. Beck.

Phyllis Lee, a Wave, who is stationed with the communications division at the naval base in Lake City, has been spending

ing a leave with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lee.

Miss Helen Jones has arrived home from Stetson University in Deland to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jones.

Miss Norma Weeks has returned home following her completion of a commercial course which she took at the Walsh School of Business Science at Ft. Lauderdale.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Tidwell and daughters are leaving this week for north Florida to spend Christmas with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Lawing of Nashville, Tenn., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Williams left last week for Chattanooga, accompanying their niece, Constance Pursley, to her home, following a visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stewart have gone to Greensboro, Ga., to spend the Christmas holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stewart. They also plan to visit friends in Atlanta. Milton Stewart, who has been visiting them here following his release from the service, accompanied them.

Phillip Enlow, who is a student at Georgetown College, Tenn., is expected to arrive home tomorrow to spend Christmas with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. I. E. Enlow.

Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Ring spent several days in Miami this week.

Herbert Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson, arrived home Saturday for the holidays. He is a student at Sevier School in Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lane are visiting relatives and friends in Georgia this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Thompson of Ft. Lauderdale were visitors here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Baker

NOTICE

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have returned here to make their home after living in Detroit, Mich., for several years.

Miss June McLendon of Miami spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant McLendon.

Friends will be glad to know that Miss Adelaide Perry is much improved following a slight illness.

Miss Dixie Poole, who is a student at Norman Junior College at Norman, Ga., is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Poole.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Jones are leaving for Morgantown, Ky., to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Emery and son Paul.

A. Barrow is receiving medical treatment at the Naval Hospital in Palm Beach.

B. Q. Waddell has arrived home for the Christmas holidays from Memphis, Tenn., where he is a student at the Southern College of Optometry.

Miss Elizabeth Breger returned home Sunday to spend Christmas with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Breger. She is attending the Florida State College for Women at Tallahassee.

LEGION AUXILIARY MEETS AT ALLEN HOME

Mrs. W. Allen was hostess to the American Legion Auxiliary Monday evening at her home in South Bay. The business session was presided over by Mrs. Esther Ringo, during

LOST—A female red Irish setter, bearing the name of Dr. Abernathy of North Carolina. Lost Wednesday near our house. If located contact W. T. Elder at the Huffy farm 12-21-46

FOR SALE—Porcelain finished Giant oil burner, in excellent condition. Inquire Jack Royals, phone 288-1.

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FOR SALE—20 lots for colored in Bailey's Subdivision No. 6. C. A. Bailey, Belle Glade, Florida. 12-11-46

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FOR SALE—Farm Land, 4.5 acre tracts on hard road, less than 2 miles from Post Office. \$500 per acre. C. A. Bailey, Real Estate Office, Belle Glade. 11-30-46

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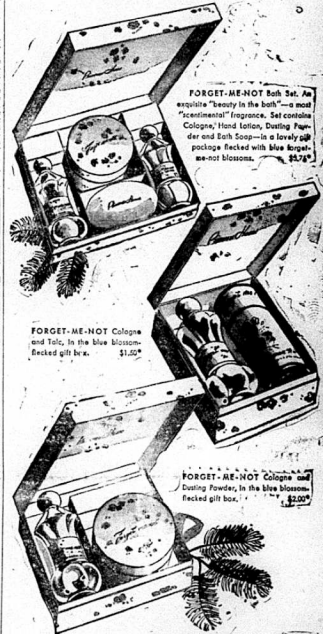
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We will be closed all day Christmas in order that our help and ourselves may enjoy Christmas day as a holiday.

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ON THE SCREEN

A Treat for the Children
COMMUNITY CLUB BUILDING
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Vesper Service
8:00 P. M.



That best part of a good man's life—
His little, nameless unremembered acts
Of kindness and of love.
—WILLIAM WORDSWORTH

As the old year draws to a close our thoughts turn gratefully to those whose loyalty and good will we have had the privilege to enjoy.
You have helped to make possible a more pleasant season for us, and we want you to know how much we appreciate this cooperation on your part.
It is our sincere wish that the Holidays may bring you every happiness, with a full measure of all the good things you desire and deserve.
We hope, too, that the coming year will open many new vistas of opportunity and prosperity for you, and that good health will be yours to enjoy for many years to come.
From

Your Food Store



★ Of far greater value than the most precious jewel or the most costly gift is happiness and peace of spirit. Could we wish more for you this Christmas season than its attainment?

For your fine cooperation and loyalty to us in 1945 you have our lasting gratitude.

MAY A
MERRY CHRISTMAS
and
HAPPY NEW YEAR
POP

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Belle Glade Bottling Works

★
AVENUE A at 7th
Phone 120



★ Measured by the span of years, it has been a long, long time since that first Christmas night, but it might have been just yesterday when we measured the spirit of kindness which Christmas means happiness, and Christmas happiness is to be shared. We want to share our 1945 Christmas happiness with you.

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SUNDRY STORE**
South Bay

BEGINNERS HAVE CHRISTMAS PARTY

A Christmas party was given by the Beginners Department of the Community Methodist Sunday School Tuesday afternoon by the teachers, Mrs. Jay O. Jameson, Mrs. Ogle Moore, Mrs. Freeman Schoenfeld, and Mrs. Walter Cross. Christmas tree decorations were made by the children, and stories and games were enjoyed. Refreshments were served and gifts presented to Carolyn and Bobby Schoenfeld, Ardis Anne and Jay Markey Bedale, Robin, Junior Dell, Billy Burr, Bill and Sharon VanLandingham, Billy and Charles Schoenfeld, DeWitt and Sandra Dean, Richard Willer, Wallie Mole, Larry Harris, Harold Royals, Joy Walter Cross, Ronnie and Jean Kirelman, Richard Le-

Fils, Luan and Sammy Guignard, and Stewart Boots.

MRS. EARWOOD ENTERTAINS

Mrs. H. O. Earwood, assisted by Mrs. Sam Fleming, Mrs. R. V. Allison and Mrs. J. W. Mosley, entertained approximately 75 guests in honor of her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Ogden, with a tea Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earwood and family for the Christmas holidays. They are from Madisonville, Kentucky.

The house was beautifully decorated with gladioli, lilies, Florida lily and candles, thus blending with the thought upmost in people's minds—Christmas. Refreshments were served from the dining table.

MERRY CHRISTMAS
and a
HAPPY NEW YEAR
To our Many Friends

Mr. and Mrs.
GEORGE A. TAYLOR, Sr.

We will be closed from Saturday noon, December 22, to January 2, for renovating and taking inventory.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year
TO ALL OF OUR FRIENDS AND PATRONS

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Happy New Year, to friends now and old! Happy New Year to all!

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Health and
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WE'VE SEEN a great many changes in our day... changes in styles, changes in customs, and changes in transportation. But one thing has remained unchanged during all these years—our determination to lead the way at all times in value-giving. We enter 1946 fully pledged to stand by our time-honored custom.

Happy New Year, friends!

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decorated with white flowers and candles.

CORRECTION ON W.S.C.S. CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

The Christmas program of the Women's Society of Christian Service will be held at the Community Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock. Mrs. Hugh J. Bratley will be in charge of the program, and Mrs. George Taylor and Mrs. A. J. Taylor will serve as hostesses.

GARDEN CLUB ENJOYS CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Garden Club held their annual Christmas party Thursday afternoon at the Community Club House with Mrs. Ivan VanHorn in charge of the program. The roll was called with each member answering with a Christmas poem. Mrs. Herbert D. Beck gave a book review on "Santa Claus" which was immensely enjoyed. Florida overgreens was the subject of an interesting talk given by Mrs. VanHorn. Christmas carols were sung by the group, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Fred Woolsey.

Gifts were exchanged from beneath a lighted tree, and refreshments were served from a beautifully decorated table. Mrs. Jay O. Jameson and Mrs. Louie Warren were hostesses. A display of hand made decorations made from local greens were displayed by various members.

Others present were Mrs. Mary Jane White, Mrs. Walter Hooker, Mrs. Ralph Freeman, Mrs. H. O. Peters, Mrs. Harold H. J. Harris, Mrs. B. Q. Waddell, and Jeannette Waddell.

Additional Honor Roll In Elementary Grade

Second grade, Doria Blevins, teacher. With honors: Gloria Dell, Billy Elder, George Far-nall, Leo James, Jo Margaret Parson.

Honor roll: Wilbur Campbell, Micky Milligan.

Honorable mention: James Dunn, Levid Hunt, Margue McSwain, Betty Pennington, Jack Poole, Donald Tanner. Most improvement: Rosalie Wiseman.

The Ocala Brahman Show is scheduled for January 15-18, it was officially announced.

BLESSED EVENT

Mr. and Mrs. Otis L. Burns announce the birth of a son, Stanley Darwin, and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Glisson, a daughter, Cassandra Lou. Both babies were born on December 11th at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, and are the niece and nephew of Mrs. Sam Burns, arriving on her birthday.

Mr. Otis Burns is the former Juanita Besant, and Mrs. Glisson was Ursula Jones.

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JAMES A. DEW

P.O. Box 132, W. P. B. — Phone 9835



NEW YEAR 1946 will put on his show at the midnight hour, as always in the past. As the show-boat disappears round the bend in the river and we get back into the old routine we hope for you that there was more to it than the fleeting joys of the New Year holiday, that "something has been added"—something of permanent stature—and that 1946 will really make a big difference to you.

Everglades Theatre
ALWAYS A GOOD SHOW

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The Greetings of
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AND
NEW YEARS

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Pahokee, Florida



WE SALUTE YOU AS THE NEW YEAR DAWNS

Now, when the hopeful New Year is about to take its place on the world stage, we salute the brave men and women who have so splendidly guarded America's precious heritage of freedom. We salute you, too, good friends and neighbors. Ours is a debt of gratitude we can hardly repay.

Better days are ahead for all of us, we are reasonably sure, and we want you to know how deeply we appreciate your friendship.

South Bay Growers & Distributors
WINTER VEGETABLES
South Bay, Florida



Thru The Glades Glades Motor Lines

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7:44 A.M. (Via Canal Point)
10:14 A.M. (Via Canal Point)
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To Pahokee:

1:05 P.M.
6:45 P.M.
10:05 P.M.

To MIAMI:

7:15 A.M. (Via Hialeah)
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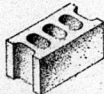
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SOUTH BAY BEAN CITY LAKE HARBOR

Pvt. W. C. Martin, recently returned from Brazil, is visiting his brother, O. H. Martin and family. He wears the good conduct medal and South American ribbons. Pvt. Martin has reenlisted for service in Germany and is now on 90 day furlough. He is leaving shortly for Miami.

George A. Yon of Zellwood, formerly South Bay Sugar Plantation Superintendent and now superintendent of the Beechnut Plantation at Zellwood, was in the Glades on business over the week end.

Mrs. R. S. Donaldson and Mrs. E. W. McLeod of Clewiston made a trip to Orlando the first of the week.

O. D. Martin, Sile will arrive home on the 23rd from Little Creek, Va., on Christmas leave. He is in the amphibious forces.

Mrs. Viola Dunnam and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Briars and two children, Max and Nancy, of Greenacres, visited their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Q. A. Keen Sunday. Mr. Briars is on sick and holiday leave from the U. S. Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Starling spent three days in the Glades last week during which they visited her brother, V. N. Greer and family. Walter Greer of Belle Glade accompanied them on their return to Key West.

Pfc. Eldridge Hodges and Coxswain Harvey Hodges, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Hodges, are at present stationed on Okinawa according to latest word from them.

Mrs. W. M. Jeffries is extra clerk in the postoffice this week, helping with the holiday rush of mail.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Byrd, Cecil and Shirley have gone to Panama City to visit relatives and on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Murphy, son George, of Perryopolis, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. John Bryan, Jackie and Verna Lee of Connelville, Pa., arrived Sunday to spend the winter in South Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mills of Felds spent the night as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. N. Greer and attended the Cattle Association two day session at Clewiston last week.

Mrs. Floyd Wilder and infant daughter, Shirley Olivia, have returned from the St. Mary's Hospital in West Palm Beach.

Mrs. Norman Dalysupple of Coral Gables visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Mitchell, this week.

Pvt. Merrill McAllister, U. S. Marines, has been transferred from Louisiana to California.

Sammy Best, MM 2/c, recently discharged from the U. S. Navy, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Best. He is leaving soon for West Palm Beach where he will be employed in the Power Plant.

Mrs. Leon Willis and children have gone to Hollywood, called there by the death of a niece. The father of the child is overseas and the family have been

unable to contact him during the illness of the child.

Tommy Weathers has been called to Georgia by the illness of his mother, Mrs. P. E. Weathers.

Sgt. Jack Keene, veteran of four years, eight months, in the Parachute Army Air Corps, recently discharged from the Army, is visiting his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leeland Keene. He is returning to Orlando for Christmas.

Miss Geraldine Longshore has returned to her home at LeGrange, Georgia, after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Allen.

Ed Butler left this week to spend Christmas with his mother, in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Frasure and son, Homer, Jr., are enroute home from San Francisco where Mr. Frasure has been employed in electrical war work.

Marvin Lee, MM 2/c, has arrived home on leave to visit his mother, Mrs. W. M. Lee, who is critically ill in Miami. He is stationed in Japanese waters.

Mrs. O. L. Strickland of

Homestead is visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Strickland.

C. C. Abstein of Ft. Pierce was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Allen Thursday and Friday.

Charles Denton and Junior Walker will arrive this week from Gainesville, Ga., where they are attending Riverside Military Academy.

Mrs. J. H. McAllister of Ashburn, Ga., is visiting her sons, S. M. and O. H. McAllister and granddaughter, Mrs. H. L. Marlowe, Jr.

Mrs. W. M. Jeffries, Mrs. Thomas Weathers and daughter Judith spent the week end in Lake Park with relatives.

TOWN BUYS NEW TRUCK

The Town of South Bay accepted the bid of the Coastal Truck and Equipment Company of Belle Glade for a truck to be used for garbage collection and work on the town streets at their regular meeting last week.

A bid of the Twin City Chevrolet Company for a four door sedan to be used in the police department was also accepted.

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One-Half Chicken French Fries
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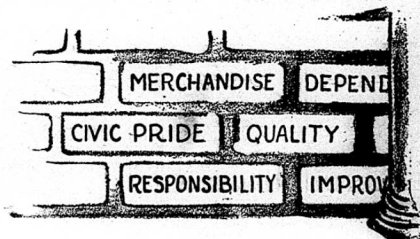
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The firm of Anthony's is grateful for the friendliness this community accorded it in the old days, and for the goodwill and patronage we own today. We're building our future on our confidence in the vast opportunities in this community and upon your confidence in us.

This is No. 11 of a series
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1945 SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS 1945

OUR FOREFATHERS

celebrated Christmas sometimes under the greatest of difficulties, to say nothing of danger. Today, in warm, lighted homes we welcome the arrival of Yuletide, without thought of those early hardships. It might make our Christmas a little happier, our hearts a little more thankful, to take thought of these things.

In the reverent spirit of this glorious season we now wish each and every one of you the deep joys which only Christmas can bring.

*

Sullivan's Pharmacy

"Soon in Our New Store"



Findings
of great joy
Merry
Christmas

Christmas Is All of These

Christmas is the good will shared at the family hearth; the carol sung together; the candle in the window; the glowing faces gathered around the festive board. And it is much more—over so much more!

We cannot begin to put into words all that Christmas is, nor begin to express how ardently we wish for you the complete enjoyment of Christmas. So, all we can say to you, kind friends, is Merry Christmas To You.

*

W. M. JEFFRIES

Mayor of South Bay

"The Village That Is Growing"



Spirit
of 1946

HAPPY
NEW
YEAR

THE spirit of 1946 is Progress. So let us all determine right now to do everything a little bit better than last year, to take advantage of every available opportunity for improvement, and in this way assure for ourselves a happier community of happier homes.

As for ourselves, we will leave no stone unturned to give you still better values and a still higher grade of service in the year to come.

And so, wishing you all a very Happy New Year, we join with you in giving a royal welcome to 1946.

Ted's Sweet Shop

Sundry Store Supplies

LAMB BLOCK BELLE GLADE, FLA.

OBSERVATIONS

tion. He sometimes tans the hides, studies the habits and feeding times of the reptiles, the non and poisonous snakes, and plays with them freely in their pens.

Was driving down to negro town and saw a group of 50 or more excited negroes standing about, and wondered what was up, and so investigated. It was one of those tripod traveling picture camera men, most busy at his trade, and he certainly was pulling in the shetels. Negroes are fond of pictures, especially their own.



Christmas is always a welcome event with us, for two reasons:

First, because we enjoy the spirit of friendliness that is all-pervading; second, because it affords an appropriate opportunity of expressing our sincere appreciation for your valued patronage.

It has, indeed, been a pleasure to serve you, and in sending you our best wishes for a Merry Christmas we do so with the hope that the Christmas season of 1945 will transcend all of its predecessors in real happiness for you.

Vaughn & Wright

Auto Supplies

Belle Glade, Fla.

Listen!

Hear that horn! Hear that excitement in the air, that laughter! It's Christmas, neighbor, the most hopeful Christmas in years!

Imbued with this buoyant spirit of hope we express our wish for a genuine Merry Christmas to all our friends and patrons.

York's Barber Shop



to one and all 1945
Christmas Cheer

Again may you know the fragrance

Of hemlock, pine and holly.

Again may friendly voices call

A greeting warm and jolly;

And again may the meaning of

Christmas,

Deep and still more true

Bring faith and hope and gladness

To the hearts of yours and you.

Lutz's Pharmacy



• The long awaited occasion is here—CHRISTMAS—and with it the opportunity of renewing friendships. We cannot tell you how much these friendships have meant to us. We treasure them, every one.

Let us celebrate the Yuletide with rejoicing and good cheer. Let us celebrate it with a genuine thankfulness in our hearts for the blessings that have been ours to enjoy.

The Belle Glade Motors, Ltd.

(FORD DEALERS)

Find there are half a dozen such places operating in the city.

Some one coined this beautiful sentimental statement concerning the Christmas bells: "The bells of Christmas of 1945 sing out not one song, but many. For they sing to each alone . . . bringing joy to the family, re-united, comfort to the bereaved, solace to the lonely. Yet there is one song they sing to all . . . a song of Hope. Of hope of lasting peace and a brighter world, a brighter world of decency, good fellowship."

There is a sermon of American life which we all can join and agree upon. Christmas this year will be a joyous one, with far more found on and around the Yuletide tree than for many years. There will be many reunions of families long separated, of renewed friendships of long duration and the happiness of making new circles of friends. Few countries can celebrate in the wide and riotous manner as can the Americans, for no other land or nation has the means to do so. Americans will not let the Yuletide be a lonely kid in a far away land or a service man in foreign service will be getting reminders from the nation and people back home.

If you do not plan to be present at the Community Christmas celebration at the City park on Christmas eve, you are going to miss something pretty nice, for the program will be most beautiful and interesting. The kids are sure to get a treat, and perhaps some of the olsters might fare that well, too.

There is one type of driver of automobile or truck on the road, that I do not like now, and that is the man with bright headlights, will not dim on signal. Drag them, anyway. The state traffic law says that such dimming must be done on signal, this being a provision for safe driving. Nothing so mean as to be blinded when approaching another car or a dangerous place in the highway.

Many people gather along the canal banks to watch the big hydraulic dredge at work, as it digs and drives the earth out of the pit onto loaded wagons for carrying away.

City fathers have been discussing at most every meeting some topic which meant improvement to the city, but that City Manager proposition which the new councilmen endorsed in their pre-election platforms, has not been broached. With such an official in command of city affairs, rather than busy men commissioners, perhaps some of the municipal affairs might get speedier attention and accomplishment. If the Commission has three or four times the amount of funds than it has at hand to expend, it still would be but a drop in the bucket for all the improvements that the city could take on and needs.

With the white and negro population ever on the growth, offenders before the law are on the increase, and sometimes prisoners must be packed into the tiny jug like jail apartments like sardines in a can. Not a space where a white woman if she were arrested, could be given anything like decent hospice detention.

If plans go through, and the zoning ordinance is changed by the City Commission, Belle Glade is looked for a modern cocktail lounge place. Another instance of taking on city ways.

Ben McCoy, well known negro athlete, who has been appearing around the Glades in the squared ring for near a score of years, still is able to appear in the ring and give a pretty good account of his fighting abilities, and is appearing as headliner at the Camp Okeechobee fight festival. In his prime "Ben" was about as clever as they made them, and age does not seem to slow him down.

Hats off to the city firemen for their good service in the shuler fire over in colored town. The boys are deserving of compliment, for they faced a most threatening blaze, a difficult one to fight.

When the cars from all over the Glades began pouring into the Athletic field on the occasion of the recent football game, it was indeed a pretty sight, and the parade seemed endless. The state, county and city police yeoman work in handling the parking and traffic, without an accident of any kind occurring.

Dick Lefels may be able to

disguise himself at Santa Claus, but when he opens his mouth and talks, then the identity is sure, for no one can speak in that voice tone but Dick.

Methodist laymen had a real gala time at their dinner, and if that occasion was a criterion of other dates, we predict much larger attendances at the functions.

The mechanical ingenuity and skill of Frank Snavely has already asserted itself up at the new ramin plant, for he has made a number of mechanical changes on machinery that have proven most efficient.

Bill Pierce recently received a consignment of several airplanes which he tore down and reassembled, and they will soon be whirling through the sky from the Airport base.

Can't refrain from closing this week's medley without wishing all my readers a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.



CHRISTMAS IS THE TIME

for friendliness, for the open house and the open heart

It is the time, too, for us to greet our friends, to thank them for their consideration of us, and to wish them all a very Happy Christmas.

Glades Chevrolet Company

"FIRST IN SERVICE"

Phone 9124

Belle Glade, Florida



AS the light of Christmas again brightens our faces and lightens our hearts, we turn our thoughts from ourselves to help others. For this is the spirit that first saw the light of day in a stable at Bethlehem, two thousand years ago, and which has endured ever since.

May God bless and protect you and your dear ones and bring happiness to your home this Christmas season.

P. C. KEESEE

BRINGING BEST
WISHES FOR A
MERRY
CHRISTMAS

TO OLD FRIENDS AND NEW

We are quite old-fashioned enough to know that to merit the confidence of the entire community every transaction we make must rest upon the solid foundation of full value given.

May good old-fashioned Christmas cheer brighten for you the hours of this glorious Yuletide season.

The Best in Town Cafe

JOHN MICHAEL, Prop.



Today's grownups are only yesterday's children who once stood before a fireplace on the Christmas Eve of the past, or who, just before Christmas, were as good as they could be.

The heart of the Christmas season is friendship and eternal youth, and we could not ask for finer friends than ours. It makes us happy to greet all our friends this Christmas season of 1945 with the best of Yuletide wishes.

George A. Williams
ICE DELIVERY

HEALTH-HAPPINESS-PROSPERITY

When Grandpa Was a Boy

he spent most of a Saturday going to town and back in a buggy. We can pretty nearly span the continent in that time now.

The horse and buggy are gone; the rail fence is gone, but human nature is still much the same. In these days, as in those, friendships count in business.

We are proud of our long list of friends on this New Year of 1946—a list that has been growing steadily with the years—and want to express this word of thanks as we send you our New Year greetings.



Dadson's Dusting Service

AIRPORT

BELLE GLADE

FLORIDA

FIGHT AND WHITE
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off on a trip next Wednesday, but am not certain yet. If we

High School

HELP WANTED
Two Boys and Two Girls to help at Soda Counter during Christmas Holidays. Also to work every other night, 6 to 10 P. M., with transportation home after closing hours.

Apply at

Murphy's Pharmacy

Sue's VIEWS

IT WASN'T THE SCHOOL
I DIDN'T LIKE.... IT
WAS THE PRINCIPAL
OF THE THING.



One of the "principal" things to remember is that the only SURE way to safeguard all property is to insure it.

HARRIS

Insurance Agency

Phone 210 Herald Bldg.

TO WISH YOU
Christmas
Joy 1945

At Christmastime we feel more sensibly
the charm of each other's society, and
we draw more closely together by de-
pendence on each other for enjoyment.

—WASHINGTON IRVING

May this spirit of Christmas, which
Washington Irving so ably wrote
about, pervade your home this
Christmas season of 1945.

Best wishes from us
for a
Merry Christmas



HANEY, Inc.

Merry
Christmas
one and all

A Salute

to our friends and a big, hearty Christ-
mas wish to you all, this merry, merry
Christmas season.

Looking back over the year calls to
mind our greatest source of pleasure has
been our contact with folks like you.

* * * * *

THE BRIDGE CAFE

BEE WEAVER, Prop.

"The Place Where Workmen Get a Square Meal"

VICTORY LOAN
BONDS PROVE
SOUND ECONOMY

By TED R. GAMBLE
National Director, War Finance
Division, U. S. Treasury

The Victory Loan, now under way, is the crucial test of our war finance policy. It must not only raise the \$11 billion required by the Treasury but we must do it in such a manner as to avoid the danger of inflation of our men have given their lives. That is why we are asking for \$1 billion from individuals, \$2 billion of it from the sale of Series E bonds.

Why is this money needed? Briefly, the reasons may be summarized as follows: to bring our veterans home and give them their mustering-out pay, to maintain our armies of occupation, to take care of our sick and wounded veterans, to make prompt settlement of our cancelled war contracts, and for other necessary governmental expenditures during the next few months.

The Budget Bureau recently estimated total Federal Expenditures for 1946 fiscal year at \$64.4 billion, or \$31.7 billion below 1945. Receipts were estimated at \$33 billion, but these may be reduced somewhat by the new tax bill. This leaves a deficit of \$31.4 billion, which must be met by Treasury borrowing. It is in order to help meet this deficit that the Treasury decided the Victory Loan, the last big public drive for funds.

As we enter this Victory Loan, I'd like to review briefly the accomplishments of our war financing program. From May 1, 1941, when the program started, to October 1, 1945, we raised the huge sum of \$27 billion. Furthermore, we raised this money through a plan of voluntary savings at the lowest interest cost of any nation engaged in the war, and at the lowest selling expense ever recorded.

In the first seven war loan drives, we set total quotas of \$95 billion for all investors, and sold \$135,740,000 in war loan bonds. Every loan was oversubscribed. Billions more were sold in the interim periods between drives. We have sold these bonds to more than 85,000,000 Americans. By the time this loan is over, we will have sold one billion individual pieces of the popular Series E bonds alone.

Where did this money come from? Our figures show that individuals provided the Treasury with \$49 billion out of the \$95 billion in new funds that has become available to them since May 1, 1941—and most of the remainder went into cash savings or commercial bank accounts. Insurance companies and savings banks invested all of the \$22 billion in new funds that they received. State and local governments invested \$5 billion of the \$95 billion available. Private corporations had \$29 billion of new funds from current surpluses and we obtained \$24 billion of it. Most of the remainder was needed by them for expanded wartime operations. Federal agencies and trust funds invested all of their \$17 billion of new funds in government securities.

In short, up to the end of the Seventh War Loan, non-bank investors provided the government with \$121 billion net of the \$207 billion it had to borrow since May 1, 1941. The balance of \$86 billion being absorbed by commercial Federal Reserve banks, most of it in open market purchases. Except for the investment of a limited portion of their savings deposits, we have not permitted the banks to subscribe directly to war loan securities in the last five war bond drives, nor in the current Victory Loan.

One of the most significant achievements of our program is the widespread distribution of the public debt. Millions of people who never before saved a penny in their lives, now own savings bonds. It is estimated that three-quarters of the Series E bonds sold to individuals were acquired by persons earning \$2000 a year or less. Today, individuals hold almost one-fourth of the total Federal debt outstanding. An even larger proportion of the interest paid out on this debt will go to individuals. Obviously, this will have a tremendous impact on post-war purchasing power.

Investing in Victory Bonds will build a second economy for the future. We cannot afford to slump back into indifference and selfishness if we are to keep faith with those who have paid most dearly so that we could live in a free and peaceful world. We can and should buy Victory Bonds to the limit of our ability if for no other reason than to express our gratitude to our fighting men. They have done their job, and have done it well. It is up to us to flush out, so that they may come back to the kind of an America they dreamed about—a land of opportunity with full employment, full production and high income. The Victory Loan is our opportunity to express again our faith in America.

THE RAMBLER

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The following are excerpts:
"You know come Hail and High Water you can't keep down the spirits of those folks in that rich farming area around the shores of Lake Okechobee. . . . The farmers out that way, that is those who with the bean crops were pretty badly hit by the cold spell a week ago, but you might just as well try to empty the ocean with a spoonful at a time as to discourage them with Everglades farming. If adversity cuts his crops in

half you don't hear him say I lost 50 per cent of my crop, but more likely to say, I saved 50 per cent of them."

The Chamber of Commerce up there is revising its publicity book, last printed in 1942, and if you have even the slightest idea of the way that lake country had grown and progressed in the past three years, then you'll realize that the Belle Glade booklet is more a new book than a revision.

Here's an idea, instead of hearing about this wonderful country, why don't you take a motor trip and see it in reality. I'll guarantee it's a trip you'll not regret.

R. C. DAVIS

That Good Gulf Gasoline
BUY AND SELL
USED CARS

Catholic Church Schedule

Mass on last two Sundays of month at 9 o'clock in Palokoe and 11 o'clock in Clewiston. All other Sundays at 11 o'clock in Palokoe and 9 o'clock in Clewiston. Confessions in Clewiston every Saturday from 7 to 9 p.m. and before each mass in Palokoe. Persons in need of transportation call Mr. E. A. McCabe, Phone No. 37.

LET US SERVE YOU

Cooler Storage Needs
Many Lake farmers avail themselves of our facilities

Our temperatures are ideal for potatoes, bean seed, and many other farm and grove products.

Call Fort Lauderdale 3146, or write

Port Everglades Refrigerating Co.
W. T. Eller, Manager

We Have 3% and 5%

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HECTOR SUPPLY CO.

Merry Christmas to All



We are hoping that every one of you enjoys the happiness of Christmas and the holiday season.

We wish to express our thanks for your patronage and your friendship, and hope we may serve you throughout the future years.



ROYAL'S

Where Your Dollar Buys More



★ Liberty has come down a long, hard and winding road since the Minute Man of Revolutionary times pledged his life to guard it, but the torch of liberty still burns brightly in this broad land of ours.

As we enter upon the New Year 1946 we wish for all our friends the manifold blessings which can only be enjoyed by free men. May this little greeting form another link in our friendship—a friendship upon which we have so firmly relied in the past and to which we look forward so hopefully now.



Sinclair Refining Co.

A. E. KIRCHMAN, Agent

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We will fill your yard or lot—build your driveway with shell and sand which makes a hard and tight surface.

RALPH RPKKE

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Bailey's Roofing & Sheet Metal Co.

We carry in stock at all times all kinds of roofing and everything in sheet metal and specialize in all kinds of roofing and metal work. All work guaranteed.

Now located at Bill Pierce's Garage

Flying Service

As newcomers, we appreciate the reception given us by the farmers of the community.

We invite you to ask your neighbor who has used our service, what he thinks.

Our experience qualifies us to do your

DUSTING

Knowledge of the use of the aids provided in our fighter planes qualifies us to

Teach Instruments and Acrobatics

We want to live to a ripe old age in the Glades and be a part of its future growth. In order to become an old pilot, we know we must be

THOROUGH and CAREFUL**Bel-Air Flying Services**

PAUL T. O'PIZZI, Jr.

JOHN A. KERELLA, Pilot

JOE TYUS, Pilot

BELLE GLADE AIRPORT — Phone 197-J

**This Christmas**

The lights of Peace burn brightly as the forces of hate are banished from the earth.

Living symbols of hope have appeared in every land—and men can lift their hearts and heads without fear.

This is really a momentous Christmas—carrying the promise of a new and better era to come. It will be especially precious to those who have sacrificed and endured most in these tragic years of strife. This Christmas we shall all be drawn in closer brotherhood, and we shall sing out our faith together—lift high the immortal message that fills the world with hope, "Peace on earth—good will towards all men."

Florida Motor Lines extends best wishes of the season to friends everywhere.

MILLER'S DRUG STORE
Phone 3921 Canal Point, Fla.

FLORIDA MOTOR LINES

WILL INSTALL PHONE EXCHANGE

T Bell Telephone Line cable has been laid underground from South Bay to the new Sugar Mill settlement at Okelanta, which is connected with the line at Belle Glade.

It is understood locally that a 200 phone board will be installed at South Bay shortly after the first of the year to take care of business in this vicinity.

Attend Relative's Funeral

George Hudson was called to Orlando this week by the death of a brother-in-law, A. M. Shaw. The deceased was a native of Ryan, Ga. and 45 years of age at the time of his death. Interment was made in Greenwood Cemetery in Orlando on

Wednesday. He leaves his wife, two sons, Mathan and Talmage, and one daughter, Ruby Mae King, to mourn his death.

Hardy Brothers Bereaved

M. D. Hardy, M. J. Hardy, L. L. Hardy and son Leland, were called to Bonifay, Florida, by the illness and death of their mother, Mrs. Hester Hardy, who died Thursday and whose funeral services were conducted Sunday.

She leaves to mourn her death, her husband, L. Hardy, 8 living children, 23 grandchildren and two great grandchildren. All of the children reached her bedside before her death except two sons, Albert, who was ill in the hospital at Panama City, and M. C. Hardy of Vallejo, California, who arrived in time for the funeral but not in time to see his mother before her death. Other sons and daughters include Mrs. L. D. Morell of San Antonio, Texas; A. L. of Panama City, and C. C. Hardy of Mobile, Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy had celebrated their 56th wedding anniversary October 13. The last family reunion when all members of the immediate family had been present was on March 27, 1927. Many of the grandchildren are now in the Armed Forces of their country in various parts of the world.

CITY FINANCES

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craved interest, under the accepted agreement.

This issue, as well as the previous \$200,000 issue of bonds, will be retained in one block at the First National Bank at Palm Beach, ready for delivery back to the city when desired. The bonds will be paid for out of the operative income of the city water department. Mr. Durrance bears all the expenses of the bond issue. The city is considering a city wide sewer system and sewage disposal plant sometime in the near future, by agreement, Mr. Durrance will appear at the City Commission on Wednesday to present a plan for the financing of such a deal.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

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tion, in which all may mingle and sing the carols and hymns common to the Yuletide period. The park will be illuminated, there will be a big decorated Christmas tree, and a Santa Claus, and an opportunity for all to have a gala holiday celebration. There will be no speaking, but the combined choirs of the Methodist and Baptist churches will lead in the musical program to be presented.

Following the program, attendants will land out to the children a treat of apples, fruit and nuts, and possibly candy if it can be obtained.

Representatives from the churches and clubs will be in attendance to assist in the various functions of the evening. Everyone who can make the trip to the park is urged to be present and enjoy and participate in the event.

BUILDING SUGAR MILL STACK AT OKELANTA

The Weber Chimney Company of Chicago, Illinois, have the contract to build the chimney for the power house of the Okelanta Sugar Development Company.

E. L. Baker is superintendent in charge of the work and has come down from North Dakota with a crew of experienced men to erect the chimney. The foundation which rests on bedrock, is now being laid. The entire structure will be of reinforced concrete and will be when completed 106 feet, 6

inches high. The foundation is octagonal in shape and the shaft will be round. The diameter of the shaft at the base will be 10 feet, 6 inches and at the top of the shaft it will be 8 feet, 6 inches.

Present plans call for the completion of the chimney at sometime in January.

**HAPPY NEW YEAR**

Our Wish for You

EVERYONE

is included in our wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year—wishes which are drawn from the deep, pure wells of hope.

You have helped make the past year a most pleasant one for us. Mindful of this, we have but one thought as we enter 1946—to be fully worthy of the confidence you have reposed in us.

PETE SCURAN

Truck Produce Headquarters

BELLE GLADE

FLORIDA



To each of us the word Christmas summons many happy memories. To some it recalls a ride over the frozen countryside to grandma's, sleigh bells tinkling all the while. To others it recalls happy reunions in mirror-filled living rooms, gay banquets and glowing Christmas trees. But to all it recalls days of charm and endowment, the happiest days of our lives. May you know this happiness in all its fullness once again, dear friends, this Christmas season of 1945.

Geo. W. Scarborough

Department Store

Belle Glade

Florida

**1946 WELCOME****NEW YEAR'S IS MORE THAN A DAY**

It is the spirit of men and women who throw off the impediments of yesterday and determine to make a better start for today.

As we enter the year 1946 we raise a toast to our many good friends, with the hope that each succeeding day may bring you nearer to coveted goals.

Happy New Year to you!

C. A. BAILEY

REAL ESTATE

Belle Glade

Florida

Everglades Theatre

BELLE GLADE, FLA.

WEEK OF DECEMBER 23rd

SUNDAY — MONDAY

"MUSIC FOR MILLIONS"

With Margaret O'Brien and Jose Iturbi

Tuesday — Wednesday

"HERE COMES THE COLEDS"

With Abbott and Costello

—also—

"FOREVER YOURS"

With Gale Storm and Johnnie Mack Brown

Thursday-Friday

"THOROUGHBREDS"

With Tom Neal, Roger Pryor, Adell Mare

—also—

"SHE GETS HER MAN"

With Joan Davis and Leon Errol

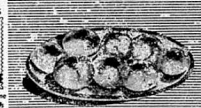
Saturday

All Star Western Cast

"BENEATH WESTERN SKIES"

TWO REGIONAL FAVORITES

FOR HEARTY APPETITES!

**TOMATO-BURGERS**

RECIPE: For this meal-in-one dinner... take 4 ripe tomatoes (1 1/2 inch thick), 1 cup pepper, 4 slices last cheese (1/2 inch thick), 1 cup bread crumbs, milk or cream and butter. Hollow out tomatoes without breaking sides and place in lightly buttered, shallow baking dish. Mix ground beef with tomatoes, add salt and pepper and 1/2 cup stuffing (see recipe). Now, cut each slice of cheese in four equal parts. Sprinkle tops with bread crumbs, salt and pepper. Bake in 350 F. oven with soft butter and bake in 20-25 min. When done, place with tomato-burgers on each dinner plate with crisp lettuce, carrot sticks, cucumbers and radishes. Serve with hot buttered rolls and... half, frosty glasses of JAX BEER. Serves: Four.

**Sparkling and a Bottle of JAX Beer**

When unexpected guests drop by... invite them to play for dinner and enjoy this easy-to-prepare, delicious regional recipe.

Always serve it with The Drink of Friendship... frosty, golden JAX, the Southeast's great regional beer. They'll like the delightful flavor... the regional originality of this meal.

Yes... when friends call, or when you have a moment for satisfying refreshment... serve the fine brew, made especially to please discriminating Southeastern tastes. Serve JAX—a premium beer for which you do not have to pay a premium.

See JAX! You can't buy better beer at any price!

JAX BREWING COMPANY
Jacksonville, Fla.

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SHELLY CONNELL

Belle Glade, Florida

FROM EACH OF US TO ALL OF YOU



There's no place like home when Christmas comes around, and there's no time like right now to wish all you kindly home folks the merriest Christmas ever.

It has been a privilege and a pleasure to have served you in 1945, and we look forward to your continued friendship.

Jacob Graber and Sons

Winter Vegetable Specialists



THERE are a thousand and one ways of extending the season's greetings to you, but no words we can put into writing, no words we can frame with our lips, ring with more sincerity than the old-fashioned greeting—

**MERRY CHRISTMAS
TO YOU**

Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce



ANOTHER DAY... ANOTHER YEAR!

For the day, all the joy and gladness that the New Year holiday can possibly bring. For the year, all the blessings that can be treasured up for you in 365 golden days.

Come in and see us so we can wish you a **HAPPY NEW YEAR** with a friendly shake of the hand.

Rashley's
JEWELERS

Too Late To Classify

By Russell Kay
I am indebted to publisher

Eugene Matthews of the Brad-
ford County Telegraph for his
permission to reproduce in this
column a letter from a Starke
serviceman who is still in Ger-
many.



Around the corner of the street
Who can say what waits for us?

—James Whitcomb Riley.

And who can say what the New
Year 1946 will bring? All we can
do, of course, is hope for the best,
and our hopes are for you, dear
people of this community. It is in
full appreciation of all the fine
things you have done for us that we
send you these Happy New Year
greetings.

Glades Appliance Corporation

Boree Block

Belle Glade, Fla.

THE SEASON'S BEST TO ALL OUR FRIENDS

GREETINGS



Pack up your troubles in your old kit
bag and board the magic carpet for
the Land of Better Days.

There are 365 of them "in the
bag" for you in 1946—if we have
our way about it—and every day will
be better than the one preceding.

A thousand thanks for past favors
—and **HAPPY NEW YEAR TO
YOU!**

Shelley Connell

WHOLESALE BEER & WINES

Belle Glade, Fla.



CORDIAL GOOD WISHES TO ALL OUR FRIENDS

Time waits for no man, and 1945
is no exception. That is why we
hasten to send our New Year's
wishes to you good folks in town
and all around town.

IT'S GOING TO BE A

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

P. & L. Stores, Ltd.

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BELLE GLADE

FLORIDA

While Lt. A. Z. Adkins, Jr.,
wasn't writing for publication
and addressed this letter to his
"Mom and Dad," the subjects
he discusses are so timely and it
so reflects the thoughts of
countless other servicemen, that
I feel it deserves wide circula-
tion and I welcome the opportu-
nity to present it in this col-
umn.

"Dear Mom and Dad:
"I've been reading a lot in
the papers lately about the
strikes they are having at home.
Boy, that really turns us up
over here. These people were
deferred from the draft so they
could work in some essential in-
dustry. They rode the gravity-
train and made money hand
over foot while we were dying
and bleeding over here. Some-
times I wonder if what my
buddies and I went through was
worth the trouble.

"I get mad at the American
people too. As soon as the war
was over they wanted all their
sons, husbands and sweethearts
sent home immediately. I don't
want to stay over here any more
than anyone else, but I'm
certainly not in favor of pull-
ing everybody out and leaving
the Germans alone. Right now
the American Army is entirely
too easy on the Germans. Most
of the men over here now only
save a little combat if any at
all, and as a result their attitude
toward the Germans is
entirely too friendly. Most of
the old timers, those who actu-
ally know what war is like,
and who saw how ruthless the
Germans are, have either been
killed, wounded or gone home.
As a result most of our soldiers
over here now have never seen
a German with a gun in his
hand, they don't know what it
is to be wounded... they don't
know the feeling you get when
you are ordered to attack...
or the feeling you get when the
Germans are counterattacking...
or how it feels to be
cold... or to go without food
or water for several days.

If the American people don't
start using their heads a little
more and start paying atten-
tion to people like President
Truman or General Marshall...
and demand that we have
a large professional army, and
by all means insist that we have
a peacetime draft, then they
will find themselves in another
war in a few years. I can't
understand why the American
people don't want their sons
to have a year's military train-
ing. A year in the Army is the
best education a boy just out
of high school can get. Since
I've lived through the war, a
million dollars couldn't buy the
things I've learned. I've been
associated with every national-
ity and every creed in the
world, and I've seen a few
sights too.

"I hope you don't mind my
philosophizing on life, but I
feel strongly about these strikes
and those people who oppose a
peace time draft. I did their
fighting for them, now let them
do something for me."

Devotedly, ANDY.

Lt. Adkins speaks with au-
thority. A student at Citadel,
South Carolina military school,
he was commissioned after at-
tending Officer's Candidate
School at Fort Benning.

As an infantry officer, he
fought through every major
campaign in Europe. He was
wounded in action twice and
the end of the war found him
with his division in Southern
Germany.

The views of Lt. Adkins re-
fect those of thousands of ser-

Shelled Unconscious



WHILE FLYING over Germany,
AAF Sergeant Alfred D. Beckley,
Pittsburgh, Pa., a radio operator,
was so unconscious by shock
and didn't know what hit him until
he awoke back at his air field. Now
he is at Belleau General Hospital,
Staten Island, N. Y., discovering
how Victory Loan dollars help the
wounded, and he is doing fine.

OVER NEW YEAR'S



PLEASE USE
LONG DISTANCE
ONLY FOR
NECESSARY CALLS

SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY
INCORPORATED



PEACE ON EARTH...GOOD WILL
...TOWARD ALL MEN...

EVERY holiday
has its significance, but none can
compare with Christmas. It is the
one time of the year when self-seek-
ing gives way to selflessness, and all
are united in one common attitude
of good will towards our fellowmen.

Our entire personnel joins in wish-
ing Christmas joy to those whom we
have served, and to others as well.
Accept our sincere thanks for the
privilege of being of help in making
this Christmas of 1945 truly merry.



WEDGORTH'S



HAPPY NEW YEAR TO YOU!



Exit 1945... enter 1946! It's but a short trip across that
stage—365 days—some long days and some short
days, but whether short or long we hope that all will
be happy days for you.

Among the happy memories of the past year is that
of our pleasant relations with the people of this com-
munity. And as we say "Happy New Year" we add a
word of sincere thanks for this friendship that has
meant so much to us.

Agricultural Insecticide Company, Inc.

BELLE GLADE, FLORIDA

WANTED

GIRLS FOR USHERS

AT

Everglades Theatre

GOOD PAY—PLEASANT WORK

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FOR SALE

Ford Ferguson Tractor, been out 18 months. Runs like new.

Disc Harrow. Good as new.

Power Duster. Brand new.

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41 Oliver muck turning Plow. This plow does the best of work.

Fertilizer Distributors, any width row.

The works for \$1500.

You can see me any time this week or next at my home.

PAUL WILSON
Moore Haven, Fla.WE ENDEAVOR TO KEEP AN UP-TO-
DATE STOCK OF**Staple and Fancy
Groceries**

We handle only the choice grades of packing house fresh and smoked meat and large selection of luncheon foods, butter, eggs and cheese

We solicit your patronage.

Hendry'sA COMPLETE FOOD STORE
Avenue A Belle Glade, Fla.

Homemade plows of the early days

Ex-Governor Talks

Tampa, Dec. 20 (FNS)—Speaking before the Tampa Women's Club, former Governor Spessard L. Holland stressed the fact that we should not only absorb ex-service men and women into civilian life but pointed out that we must make it possible for them to do the things they have hoped for and dreamed of.

Citing the increase in Florida's population and the good financial condition of the state, the Barrow attorney said Floridians face a future of expansion and growth.

Florida, he continued, has the largest concentration of air fields in proportion to its size of any state in the union. It has two producing oil wells and the citrus canning industry here is the largest in the entire world.

The new industry of dehydrating fish, he said, has saved many lives in India.

Florida, he said, is crying to produce sugar and in time that will be an important industry.

He urged that the cultural side of post-war planning be remembered.

TOM LIEB
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University athletic program, a sum that would place it in the category of students for their which the University schedules in its games.

Florida University has al-

ways demanded high educational qualifications and standing of its players, rather than attraction of students for their football prowess, and as a result there has been not a great influx of the latter, who chose to go to other outstanding schools where their abilities could be used.

The Governor in his message or address stressed that Florida must do something to attract Florida's crack football players to the University and not permit them to go elsewhere.

To the coaching staff and scouts these words sounded good, and the past weeks has seen them out over the state, watching high school games, and scouting the outstanding players, and as a result some mighty fine players have been promised for the fall enrollment.

Coach Pittman made a visit to Belle Glade, Saturday and interviewed several players of the Golden Ram team, more in particular Joe Cherry as likely one of the recruits.

While here Pittman was given opportunity of visiting Memorial field, and after inspecting the field and told its history, he declared it one of the best fields, college or high school, in Florida, and complimented the Council highly on its accomplishment in providing such a fine plant for Glades athletic events.

UP AND DOWN THE COAST LINEAMERICA'S NEW
INDUSTRIAL FRONTIER**BRIGHT FUTURE FOR TIMBER**

In the rising industrialization of the South, interest is centering ever more closely on our forests. Use of our timber supplies, which rose 20 per cent during the war, promises to be sustained or even increased as the pent-up demands of peace are felt. Our 220,000,000 wooded acres have for years supplied the nation with more than 40 per cent of its lumber. Authorities now expect that our growing Southern communities will consume a vastly increased proportion of our forest products.

What are the crying needs that constitute this need, that the importance of the forests should be so highlighted? We need practically everything. We need lumber for our buildings, and we need furniture for our homes. We need vast stores of paper—for newspaper, paper bags, wrapping paper, cartons, sanitary tissues, and a myriad of other uses. We need ultra-smart paneling for interior decorations and strong, light-weight plywood for shipping cases. We need rayon dresses, suit linings, plastic glass, rubbing alcohol, and other miracles of chemistry yet to be developed. Our needs are tremendous, but so are our forests.

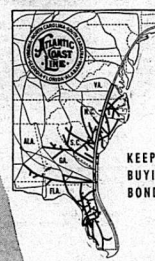
Southern lumber long ago found its place in virtually every type of construction. As the nation swings into its greatest building boom, it is easy to visualize our lumber mills working at top speed during the next several years.

Less expansive, but startling in its possibilities, is the Southern furniture industry. For, growing side by side with the famous Southern softwoods are such ideal furniture hardwoods as oak, maple, and red gum. Plywoods, from both hard and soft woods, strengthened by amazing synthetic resin glues derived from the Southern slash pine, are gaining well-earned prestige because of their ability to give furniture new beauty, strength, and utility.

Southern pulpwood, which became so important during the pre-war decades, undoubtedly will continue to establish new highs. Studied with yellow pine, our timberlands teem with the type of trees whose wood easily converts into paper pulp. Most encouraging is the demonstrated ability of these trees to replenish themselves. Assuming that recently developed statistics are reliable, our snow-free, warmer Southern acres replace nine trees each year for every ten we use. Extensive conservation and replanting programs promise to make this ratio even more favorable.

With enlarged populations and incomes, our Southern cities and towns form a gigantic market for peacetime products. Trained more extensively than in any previous era, Southern labor is making a potent bid for industrial recognition. The South's growing demand, coupled with its skilled labor supply, makes an impressive bid in the economic pulse of the nation.

The indications are plain. In the South we have a reassuring supply of timber, labor, and other resources. The demand for old and new wood products is seemingly inexhaustible. Manufacturers, well aware of the advantages in having ready markets amid a plentiful source of raw materials, are not liable to ignore the signs.

KEEP
BUYING
BONDS

If you are interested in industrial plant sites or distribution facilities in the Southeast, we shall be glad to recommend suitable locations. Our research staff is also available for comprehensive studies with respect to industrial possibilities in our territory. Inquiries will receive prompt and confidential attention. Address J. M. Fields, Assistant Vice-President, Wilmington, N. C.

ATLANTIC
COAST LINE
RAILROAD

SERVING AMERICA'S NEW FRONTIER

Editorial from THE SOUTHERN (S.C.) DAILY ITEM

Do You Need a House

Prefabricated 16x16 units of wood construction, with inside finished, including partitions and casement windows

We are erecting these houses in the 3rd Holloway Addition, and can make deliveries on your lot after January 1. Also will have homes for sale or rent

HOUSE PRICES START AT \$750**Housing Division****E. H. BORCHARDT CO.**

Belle Glade, Florida

H. E. SHANNON
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Your order
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Telephone 266

Own Your
Home
Pay Like
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Radio and Electric Service

Have your car radio, home radio or phonograph repaired by a man with 24 years of practical repair experience. Electrical repair service on anything electrical. Our work guaranteed. Prices reasonable.

Highsmith, Radio and Electric

Located in Belle Glade opposite City Hall

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If its a leak in the pipe
Or a break in the pump
Or a toilet that can't be fixed

CALL —

C. A. Whitman Jr. & Son

31	4	9	15
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96	84	63	91

Winners every day

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Complete Reading

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Prof. BARRIE

HAS RETURNED TO MIAMI
and is now located in new home at

901 N. W. 79th STREET

No. 12 Bus To Door

LIFE READING GUARANTEED

Tells the object of your visit without asking questions. All who are dissatisfied with life should SEE PROF. BARRIE. One visit is all that is necessary to gain results if you are crossed, sick, worried, unhappy and surrounded with evil influence.

See PROF. BARRIE AT ONCE!

25 years of Master Experience has endowed this gifted Reader with a superior knowledge of the occult science that is seldom equaled and never excelled. Very few Psychics, no matter how high their standing, really understand this secret magnetic power.

Readings Daily except Wednesdays
M. to 7 P. M.—Closed Wednesdays

Santa Hailed with Delight

A real live Santa Claus arrived in Belle Glade mid-afternoon Saturday and his appearance was the cause of a real awakening among the kids. Santa Claus was escorted by Chief of Police Parrish in his auto to his headquarters at the P and L store on Avenue A.

In no time there was such a mob of children filling the sidewalk and street that it looked like an industrial strike crowd, and if mamma let go of Susie's or Johnny's hand, they were off to see the genial old gentleman who had come to pay them a visit, shake his hand and ask for what they desired for Christmas. Yes, every one in that mob really had a good time, even though it was a rough and tumble affair.

Santa Claus stated that it would be impossible for him to personally remain in Belle Glade very long but he would leave one of his sons to help out, and that gentleman has been on duty at the store during the present week and kids have found him to be almost as good as the old man himself.

R. M. Simmonds is thoroughly convinced that it pays to advertise in the Belle Glade Herald.

Joe Cherry Decides On University of Florida

Before leaving Belle Glade Saturday afternoon, Coach Pittman of the athletic department of the University of Florida, had received the promise of Joe Cherry, Jr., that he would enroll at that school in the fall. Joe will not be required to work out as a candidate but will be accorded a full fledged position on the university team football squad if his work justifies it.

Cherry had received very flattering offers from Auburn, University of Georgia and Miami University, to attend those institutions, but he decided to heed the call of Governor Millard Caldwell for Florida boys to attend their own state university. "Papa" Joe Cherry let young Joe do his own selection, and is tickled pink that he chose Florida.

Coach Pittman stated that next year scouts would be out watching the Golden Rams contests and that additional talent might be secured from their ranks.

Hunting Stories

Frank Hobson, Horace Harris and Prof. Davidson hid themselves off over into the Big Mound canal section, and bagged themselves a brace of deer. Both deer jumped at the same time, and the trio fired, so that none knew who brought down the deer. Quite a number of friends enjoyed venison Monday and Tuesday.

John Kirk, Ray Whitlock, C. W. McDonald and L. C. Betzner tried their luck down in the Big Cypress section, and latter part of the week and this was the score: no turkey, no deer, and not much of any other game. The men discovered a five foot rattler within a few feet of their camp fire and dispatched the reptile.

W. P. Risk, Joe Cherry and Art Zumpfe were in Miami on Saturday afternoon and evening, attending the ceremony of the Shrine. More than 200 candidates were admitted in the order and more than 500 par took of the evening dinner. The big parade during the afternoon attracted much attention.

Buy Defense Savings Stamps and Bonds.



Something
to Sing About!

Fuel Oil

NO LONGER RATIONED!

Yes, all you bathroom baritones, lift your voices in joyful song! Fuel oil is off the ration list . . . and that means you can have all the hot water you want when you want it!

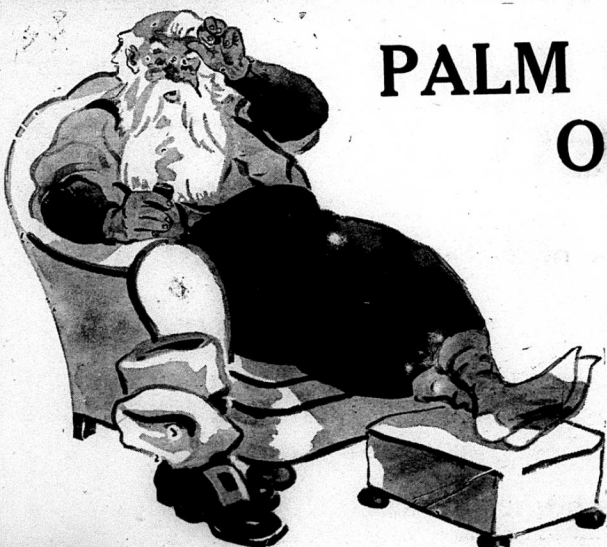
No longer need hot water be restricted to the morning and evening hours. Now there is plenty of fuel oil for all the water heaters in all the homes, hotels, and apartment houses in South Florida. You can shave, bathe, shower, or shampoo any hour of the day or night, and be assured of plenty of good hot water on tap at all times. "Ain't it a glorious feeling?"

And to the owners of homes, public buildings, hotels, and apartment houses in South Florida, the Belcher Oil Company extends most grateful thanks for your wholehearted cooperation in conserving fuel oil during the war years, thus contributing to final victory.

We are glad to assure you prompt metered delivery of all the fuel oil you require for all your needs.

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Listen to June Melville in Miami Melody Time, Thursday, 7:30 p.m. over WIOD



PALM BEACH COUNTY'S OLDEST BANK

We carry on a complete banking business for the benefit of our patrons throughout the Glades.

We will be pleased to discuss financial matters with those who may desire to consult our service.

We appreciate the long time patronage of our many friends over the course of years in which we have been engaged in business.

The Yuletide season is on us, so we wish to extend

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to All

(MEMBER OF FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION)

THE BANK OF PAHOKEE

Belle Glade Road

Pahokee, Florida



Our wish for 1946:

... that our hopes for you of today
will be realized tomorrow and on
all the succeeding tomorrows of
the year that lies ahead.

★
*Health... Happiness
Prosperity*
To you... and you... and you

Claire's Pool Room

Belle Glade, Florida



"Glorious the year that you wish,
Beyond Tomorrow's mystic gates"

... a year relieved of the tensions and worries
that have marked the past few twelve
months... a year in which you will know
again the unfettered freedom and the "will
to do" of the good old days—that is our
wish for you as we are about to enter 1946.
May it be, indeed, a glorious year for you.

Herbert D. Beck



★ Step aside, 1945, and let's
step into the future for a moment.
We see, for certain, a
much more hopeful year than
was 1945—a year of promise
and of destiny. We believe
you are, too.

It is our hope that the New
Year will open for you a
pathway to your most cherished
desires.

The Complete House Furnishers of Belle
Glade

Multach Department Store

West Avenue A Belle Glade, Florida

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to Chapter 2267, Laws
of Florida, Acts of 1945 and amendments, the following described land
in Palm Beach County, Florida, will be offered for sale at public
auction for the highest and best cash bid, at the west door of the County
Court at West Palm Beach, Florida, between the hours of 10 o'clock
A. M. and 2 o'clock P. M. on the tenth day of January of the coming
year, not less than 10 days nor more than 30 days from the date of the
first publication of this notice.

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GET YOUR ORDERS IN EARLY FOR YOUR

HOLIDAY FOODS

We will have in stock for both Christmas
and New Year, plenty of

NORTH FLORIDA TURKEYS

CHICKENS, GEESE and DUCKS

In our Fish Department:

SHRIMP, BALTIMORE OYSTERS

OCEAN and FRESH WATER FISH

Also: SELECT COUNTRY EGGS

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

K & S MARKET

Avenue A at 4th St. Belle Glade, Fla.

Merry Christmas And Happy New Year

KINSEY	5th 4.12
SCHENLEY RESERVE	5th 4.12
GARY & EDDY	5th 3.66
CARSTAIRS	5th 3.68
THREE LEATHERS	5th 4.12
OLD THOMPSON	5th 3.73
HUNTER	5th 4.45
WILLIAM PENN	5th 3.66
GALLAGHER & BURTON	5th 3.72
HAVILAND	5th 4.09
FLEISHMAN'S	5th 3.78
CORBY'S RESERVE	5th 3.63
PRINCE GEORGE	5th 4.09
PHILADELPHIA	5th 4.12
FOUR ROSES BLEND	5th 4.43
SUNNYBROOK Bourbon Blend	5th 3.73
MT. VERNON RYE BLEND, 86 proof	5th 3.81

Harwood's
Canadian
WHISKEY
5th
\$6.54
Case 75.00

Gilbey's
GIN
5th
\$3.39
Pt. 2.15

RUMS

GINS

Ronrico	5th 4.18	Gordon's	5th 3.64
Bacardi P.R.	5th 4.28	Kinsey	5th 3.47
Carriaco	5th 4.15	Graves	Pt. 2.34
Bugal	5th 4.01	Kinsey	Pt. 2.18
Dona Q	5th 3.93		
Riondo	5th 3.76	Contes	5th 3.99
Havana Club	5th 4.07	LeJohn	5th 4.64
Siboney P.S.	5th 4.43	Gar-Win-Co	5th 3.51
Merito	5th 4.05	Pete Hagen	5th 3.89
Myers	5th 5.65	Christian Bros.	5th 4.96
		Gambro	5th 3.92

KING
Black Label
Blended
WHISKEY
5th
\$4.08

Golden
Wedding
WHISKEY
5th
\$3.67

OPA CEILING PRICES
Belle Glade Liquor Store, Avenue A
Kentucky Springs Package Store, Fifth and
First Streets—in Colored Town
PHONE 234

PALM BEACH LIQUOR, Inc.

Managers B. T. Webster and O. F. Thomas

THINKING OF SOME
SPECIAL FRIEND
Say Merry Christmas
with Flowers
Delivered or
Telegraphed Anywhere
See
Sara Creech
or phone 28-J
No telegraph orders taken after Saturday



A BLANKET of snow on the roof, a peace and stillness and warmth and firelight, the lovely litter of Christmas on the living room floor. Certainly there's a Santa Claus, and as we wish you a Merry Christmas we add this wish for good measures. May good old St. Nicholas come laden, this Christmas of 1945, with more of the good things of life for you than you have ever before enjoyed.



Belle Glade Beauty Salon

ALLIE BARROW
Latest In Hair Styling



Proclamation

We hereby proclaim that we are resolved to give our friends and patrons the superior kind of service that will keep them wearing a path to our door.

We furthermore proclaim that our friends are the finest in all the world, and we wish them loads of good luck, good cheer and good health for the year 1946.

Everglades Federal Savings and Loan Association



To One And All

CHILDREN looking out of the window at a desolate landscape try to catch a glimpse of a mythical sleigh drawn by mythical reindeer. But there is naught that is mythical about the spirit of Christmas that transforms the commonplace. That Christmas of 1945 may be for you the happiest Christmas of all is our sincere wish.

Everglades Service Station

A. A. KIRCHMAN
Sinclair Oil Products



Homes aglow everywhere. It's New Year's, and the latch-string is out! As we are about to turn over a new, and—no hope—much brighter page for 1946, we thank you for your generous support during the past year, with the hope that Divine Providence will bless your home in many unexpected ways. Best wishes for a very Happy New Year!



Cabin Cleaners

Avenue A Belle Glade, Florida



This is the season of good will, and looking down the long list of names of those who have shown their good will towards us in 1945, we come to yours. We want to thank you for this good will on your part, and to send just the friendliest of wishes for your happiness and cheer at Christmastime.

Our Specialty is the growing and shipment of Prime Winter Vegetables

Everglades Growers

Phone 89-J South Bay, Florida



OUR HEARTIEST GOOD WISHES TO YOU . . .

and every member of your family this New Year of 1946. Everything you want most dearly is our New Year wish for you . . .

Kahn's Department Store

AND ITS PERSONNEL

JOSEPH KAHN
JOE GOLD
SAMUEL L. DIENER
EDDIE PAYNE
A. DIENER
ARTHUR HELFER

AVENUE A

MARY POSEY
MARY F. RAWLS
ELLA M. HOPKINS
MARY WILLIAMS
FRANCES WILLIAMS
MARY BASSANT

BELLE GLADE, FLORIDA

Frank Snavely Will Return To Army Service In Honolulu

Frank Snavely, who has been employed at the plant of the Florida Ramie corporation for the past six weeks, as equipment expert, on Wednesday loaded his belongings in his car and headed for San Francisco, Calif., where he is reporting to the U. S. Army. After a short refresher course at that base he will again return to Honolulu and take up his former or new assignments, in which he served during the late war.

Snavely's wife is also in Honolulu where she also holds a good position with the government, and that was one of the drawing points which took him back to the island.

Snavely was formerly a newspaper man on leading papers in the north and south, and at one time was the editor of the Belle Glade Herald, and wrote copiously under the caption head "Frankly Speaking." Frank states that this is probably his last visit to the Glades, as he opines that the adopted home will open his field of operations in an amazing way. The Herald wishes you good luck, Frank.

Norton Glee Club To Appear Soon In This City

A fine musical treat is to be offered to the citizens of the Glades on the evening of January 28th, when the Glee Club of the Norton Art Gallery, of West Palm Beach, will appear at the High School auditorium for one of its outstanding musical programs.

This is a joint venture sponsored by the FTA and the Rotary Club, and the net proceeds will be divided between the clubs, for the purpose of providing additional equipment for recreational centers.

Citizens are requested to reserve this night for a date at the auditorium, for the Glee Club is in fact one of the finest organizations in South Florida, and its programs have always given the highest pleasure to its auditors.

THE GLADES

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ductive serages.
At Loxahatchee there is a grove of some 800 acres, where Indian river fruit is grown, under corporation and landhold management. This year the company is picking a very large crop and is selling it at the plant and on shipment orders at very satisfactory prices.

At the Bessmer properties at Port Mayaca, there are several hundred acres devoted to citrus fruit production, and this concern also finds a ready market for its wares.

Over near Clewiston is located the Osceola groves, but its production is mostly for late summer fruit, which it markets for the big hotel and restaurant trade, making a specialty of

late summer Valencia and grapefruit.
The day is not too far distant when more and more citrus will be produced in favored Everglades sections, where land for citrus groves can be profitably located.
In the Okeechobee region, east and west, are some very excellent bearing groves, as well as in the Moore Haven and La Belle sections.

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Under New Management

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As another year comes to a close and a New Year dawns we pause for a moment to look backward as well as forward. We are happy in the thought that we have made so many new friends in 1945 and retained so many old ones.

Looking forward to 1946, we pledge anew our determination to give you the best value and service possible.

WE SAY NOW, AS SO OFTEN BEFORE, HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL!

Glades Equipment Co.

INTERNATIONAL SALES AND SERVICE

Pahokee, Florida

Phone 2481



Accept our hearty thanks for the pleasant business associations of the past year. Once again we say

Merry Christmas!

And now comes another Christmas to be added to your store of memories. We hope this Christmas of 1945 will be a very enjoyable one—a truly happy one—fulfilling all the fine traditions of Christmas.

FRITZ STEIN
ALBERT KRUSE
ARTHUR WELLS

R. Y. CREECH
FRANK KRUSE
B. G. SMITH

B. LEE HAYMAN

Pioneer Growers, Inc.



Happy New Year TO EVERYBODY 1946

This year we will celebrate New Year happy in the knowledge that one more year has been added to our long record of service to the people of this community.

Tooting our own horn a bit, you say? Well, yes, if you insist, but we just wanted to remind you.

Have a good time, enjoy the holiday to the utmost, and—very Happy New Year to you!

Western Auto Associate Store Belle Glade, Florida



All Hail to the NEW YEAR

LEND your ear for thirty seconds! Hear that band! Every note trumpets "Happy New Year To You," from all of us over here.

Day after day, week after week, and month after month, we want things to get better for you. That's our order for New Year 1946.

Yes, friends, all hail to the New Year!

AND ALL HAIL TO YOU!

Van Horn's Service Station STANDARD OIL PRODUCTS Belle Glade, Florida



Best Wishes

AT THE STROKE OF 12—

The midnight hour strikes—and presto! We shed our worried old selves and enter a new world of light, merriment, good cheer and hope.

With firm faith in the future, we enter the year 1946 heartened by your constant consideration for us, and hoping that the New Year will be rich in good cheer and blessings for you.

The Kilgore Seed Co.

Makes Big Ranch Deal

One of the largest ranch deals that has ever been made in the

upper Glades region around Okeechobee was consummated the past week end. C. F. Raulerson of Ft. Pierce bought the



VICTORY does not only apply to nations at war. We can win victories over ourselves, too, and over the problems which lay in our path.

As 1946 sweeps in upon us we wish for each of you an unbroken series of victories over any and all circumstances that may tend to retard your progress towards every individual's cherished goals—health and happiness. Good luck to you every step of the way!

Ashley's Garage

Avenue E S. E. Belle Glade, Florida

NEW HOPE

Sincere
Good
Wishes
1946



TEMPUS FUGIT

How time does fly! Here we are at the beginning of another new year. It was but yesterday, it seems, that we sent you our last New Year greetings, and now here we are again wishing you so much more and so much better of everything than you have ever had before.

As time does have wings, we hope that 1946 loses no time in bringing you all these good things we have in mind for you. And many thanks for past favors.

Belle Glade Machine Co.



WHEN we see little boys and girls shaking hands with Santa Claus this thought comes to mind:

We would like our expression of appreciation for your patronage to be a hearty shake of the hand for each of you. As we seem to be denied this opportunity, please accept this, while a substitute for a hand-shake, as no less sincere in wishing you

HAPPY CHRISTMAS

Richmond Plumbing Co. Belle Glade, Florida

Dixie ranch of 21,000 acres, for a price near \$210,000. The new Raulerson ranch is located about 15 miles northwest of Okeechobee at Balseger. The ranch has 3500 acres of improved pasture lands, three dwellings and barns, but no stock was involved in the deal. An additional 3000 acres of Indian river pasture was included in the transaction.

Former State Senator Raulerson plans to build up the ranch and stock it with cattle, and may also establish an abattoir and packing house at later developments.

Commissioner Mayo Gives Secretary Anderson "The Works" on Florida Assets

The Hon. Nathan Mayo in a recent address before the Florida Farm Bureau where Secretary of Agriculture Anderson was to speak, "put it on" in listing Florida's virtues, as follows: I am herewith giving you the high points of the agricultural statement that I made at the Farm Bureau meeting which Secretary Anderson attended.

Florida has 35,000,000 acres of land. However, only 2,500,000 acres have ever had a plow stuck into it.

2,500,000 acres of land, we produced in 1940 approximately \$3,000,000 worth of products. In 1944, we produced \$405,518,000 worth. I challenge any other state to make this kind of statement.

We have 2,250,000 people. We have approximately 2,000,000 head of beef cattle valued at \$60,000,000. Florida has over 200 herds of purebred registered beef cattle.

We have approximately 40,000 citrus groves producing from 85 to 90 million boxes of citrus fruit.

We have 70 kinds of fruits, and 60 kinds of vegetables that are grown commercially. The dairy industry is worth \$20,000,000; poultry approximately \$12,000,000.

Our income from timber is approximately \$65,000,000. Industry in 1940, \$241,500,000. In 1944 it jumped to \$900,000,000. Of course, this was caused by war production in the state.

Our income from mining is \$20,000,000. Our income from fisheries is \$25,000,000. There are about 11,000 fishermen in the state.

We have 30,000 lakes. In the lake, river, Gulf and Atlantic waters there are 600 species of fish. There are approximately 1,500 miles of coast line.

We have 25 operating State Farmers' Markets, one of which shipped 97 cars of produce in one day. Together, these markets handle \$30,000,000 worth of farm products annually.

All of the above operations are on an annual basis.

Florida is noted for a lot of things we do not have:

1. It has no snow capped mountains or blizzards.
2. No landed debt.
3. No State income tax.
4. No general sales tax.
5. No tax on homesteads up to value of \$5,000.
6. No State tax on land.

Florida is a fine place in which to live, and to live longer.

Tires Coming Off Ration

Have good cheer and lots of happiness over the holidays; motorists for the unofficial good news has come out of Washington, to be confirmed by January 1st, that tire rationing is going into the discard. Employees of OPA rationing offices are doing nothing but paper work, and no new applications for certificate grants are being issued. Just try and keep those old tires going a bit longer and when the dealer market is open you can have the sport of trying to locate the tires you have so long needed and desired.

Build Distilling Plant To Produce Peppermint Oil

Albert Kruse, who does a lot of farming in this section, has a side line business which is proving a very profitable venture, and that is the distilling of mint of various species, but mostly peppermint.

This easily raised plant, is grown along the side lines of his farm lands, and in spaces not suited for other growth, and it produced a heavy crop of mint.

After cutting the plant is taken to a distillery plant where it is processed for the rich oil that the leaves and stems contain. Oil of peppermint is a

KEEP FAITH
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WAR BONDS

high priced product used for medicinal and confectionary purposes.

To better handle his product, Mr. Kruse has just about completed a brand new distilling plant at his farm north of the city. It contains all the modern mechanics of this particular type of plant. Mr. Kruse also plans to plant more and more of the mints which he will use in his business.

Compliments of the Yule Tide Season

W. C. BAMFORD

Sanders Block

Belle Glade, Fla.



YULETIDE HAPPINESS



At this time when Christmas trees are beginning to glow in the windows everywhere, and the holly wreaths are going up, we want to send you our best wishes for a very Happy Christmas. You have made 1945 a very pleasant year for us, for which we are duly grateful.

Golden Eagle Bar

AVENUE A

BELLE GLADE, FLA.



'Proclaim liberty throughout the world, unto all the inhabitants thereof.'

In this land of free men the merry tumult of new Year's is a traditional part of our national life. It does us all good to give the New Year a rousing welcome.

More power to New Year's and the principles of freedom upon which it rests. And more power to you, dear friends, every day of 1946! It has been a pleasure and a privilege to have served you, and we stand pledged to serve you still better in the year to come.

Florida National Bank At Belle Glade Belle Glade, Florida



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FERTILIZERS—FARM SUPPLIES—INSECTICIDES

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HAMPERS
CRATES

Christmas Greetings!!



We join in all the sentiment of the Yuletide Season, and as unmelodious as our voice may be, we gang along with the Christmas Carols and other festivities, and wish all

A Merry Christmas

Speaking of Christmas Gifts, we have just received a few ahead of date, and what dealer in home appliances would not appreciate the sole agencies in the territory for such nationally advertised lines? We do, most heartily.

Here's a List of Our Gifts

EASY ELECTRICAL WASHERS, none superior or handier. KELVINATOR line of Refrigerators, Quick Freeze Units and Electric Stoves.

R. C. A. RADIOS, with a large and complete line of models. TOASTMASTER line of Toasters, Gridirons for Hot Cakes, and Glass Percolators.

We also have many articles in stock which will make fine and acceptable Christmas gifts. Don't forget us.

Knives, Guns, Fishing Equipment, Household Articles

BETZNER'S

The Hardware Store

MAIN STREET

BELLE GLADE, FLA.

LAKE FISHERMEN

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county, Joe Griffith, of Hendry County, and Capt. Raymond Rector of the Belle Glade-Palmdale area. The board of directors consists of twelve members. Each area has its own local organization to clear local affairs, but all work in conjunction with the parent body.

A representative from the St. John's river district, which has an organization similar to the local aggregation, and which district is threatened with a closing of fishing waters on that river November 1, 1946, reported that excellent progress was being made in work in that section, with much public feeling against the closing edict.

The new association is feeling very much pleased that the Okeechobee County Chamber of Commerce, the Glades County Citizens' Association, besides many public citizens, are backing the move of the fishermen to block the no-fishing edict on the lake. To date Belle Glade bodies and citizens have not as yet come to the support of the movement, but expectations are that they will soon do so.

The next meeting of the board of directors, and the larger interested fishing houses, will be held at Okeechobee on Sunday, January 13, at the court house at 2 o'clock. To this meeting the Boards of County Commissioners of the lake region counties, and the merchants of Lakeport, Moore Haven and Okeechobee, are invited, that mutual agreements may be arrived at in this controversy.

An unannounced surprise was sprung at the Belle Glade meet-

ing on its adjournment, when men of the assemblage came up and paid dues and made donations in excess of \$1,000.

A membership campaign will be conducted during the month of January, and when a full organization is completed, and funds are on hand for work projects, it is the intent to seek conferences with numerous bodies as well as the directors of the State Fish and Game Commission, whose edicts of closing waters to commercial fishing on the big lake, in attempt to secure some settlement or compromise, so that a big fishing season will not need to go into the discard.

LIONS HEAR

Continued from page one and rocky muck and marl land of the Homestead area, and then came up here and saw the wide expanses of rich muck land it made him envious of our possession, but, that he understood that unless care was taken on conservation ways, that his land in fifty years would be as rocky and as bad off as that in Homestead.

He cited the fact that farm problems in Homestead and the Glades were very much in common, but farming had to be carried on in a different manner and system there. He stated that the Homestead area had been hard hit by the fall hurricane, both as to mango and avocado groves, as well as salt saturation of lands by ocean waters, and that the entire farming and experimental programs had been thrown back at least ten years.

That on the rock lands and

the shallow muck-marl lands, farmers cultivated around 14,000 acres in tomatoes, 67,000 acres in potatoes and but 3,000 acres to string beans, and this year all these crops were from four to six weeks late in planting, and subsequent harvest, but that prospects for an abundant harvest were most promising, barring frosts.

He stated that the time was not far off, in both areas, where the benefits of a few would have to be changed so that such benefits and emplacements would be distributed to the majority, and new methods of farming be adopted.

Program Chairman Earman announced that Spottswood Burr and Prof. Davidson would have charge of the first two meetings in January, and that the month of January would be devoted to a membership drive, honoring the birth month of General Secretary Melvin Johnson.

Guests of the day were: Jack Cromary, Rotarians Townsend and Taylor, Arthur Larimore, Messrs. Mayo and Bishop, of Miami.

It's what you make out of it that counts!

$\$1875 = \2500
 $\$7500 = \10000
 $\$150 = \200
 $\$3750 = \50000

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Of course, you'd rather have \$4 for every \$3 you now have. That's what you'll have, too, for every \$3 you invest in Victory Bonds and hold until they mature. It's the safest investment in the world. Even though the Victory Loan Campaign is over, your government needs your purchases of Victory Bonds. Buy more... NOW.

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Were \$7.95, now

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DRESSES

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\$2.95

DRESSES

Two Piece, Now

\$3.95

SUITS

ALL WOOL

Were \$39.50, Now

\$21.50

Slacksuits

Gabardine

\$16.95

DRESSES

LARGE

Were \$10.95, Now

\$5.95

LADIES' Slacks

Shop Worn

89c

Slack Suits

COTTON

Selling Out Price

\$2.25

Sport Coats

\$10.95

CHILDREN'S

Play Suits

Crinkle Crepe

\$1.39

LADIES' Aprons

Now

89c

Bed Jackets

Sale Price

\$3.95

House Robes

Were \$13.95, Now

\$7.95

Cotton Sun Dresses

\$2.95

Men's Caps

49c

MEN'S Sweatshirts

98c

MEN'S ALL WOOL

Sweaters

Were \$7.95, Now

\$4.95

MEN'S Sport Coats

Were \$17.95, Sale Price

\$10.95

Neckties

\$3.50 Value, Now

49c

MEN'S Felt Hats

\$3.85 Value, Now

\$1.79

LADIES' Pocketbooks

While They Last

25c

MEN'S Socks

Were 55c, Now

39c

MEN'S Sweaters

Get Yours Now

\$1.95

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Inspiring array of modern styles. Wide range of prices

BRILLIANT RING
Changing modern design in 14K gold. PAY WEEKLY

LOVELY ENSEMBLE
Matched beauty in 2 tones 14K gold rings. PAY WEEKLY

We still have many fine gift articles in our stock and can supply late rush demands

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

Glades Jewelers

AVENUE A

Belle Glade